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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 188
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A RESOLUTION To honor and congratulate Stephanie Lott upon her distinguished tenure as "Mule Day Queen" for 2001.

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who through their extraordinary efforts have distinguished themselves as outstanding Tennesseans of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, One such exemplary person is Stephanie Lott, who has been crowned "Mule Day Queen" for 2001; and

WHEREAS, As "Mule Day Queen," Stephanie will serve as the official representative of the sponsoring organization, the Maury County Bridle and Saddle Club, during the Mule Day celebration, which will be held April 5-8, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the highlight of Stephanie's illustrious reign as "Mule Day Queen" will be her central role in the Mule Day Parade on April 7, 2001; and

WHEREAS, In addition to her receipt of this most recent prestigious title, she has previously been honored as Miss Maury County 2000 and Miss Fairest of the Fair 1999; and

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WHEREAS, A bright and talented young woman, Miss Lott was listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* in 1997 and 1998, and was a recipient of the United States Achievement Academy National Award in 1998; throughout her high school career she was a member of the National Beta Club; and

WHEREAS, Ranked 11th in her 1999 Graduating Class at Mount Pleasant High School, Stephanie Lott is currently a Sophomore at Middle Tennessee State University, where she is pursuing a degree in Elementary Education; and

WHEREAS, She has displayed tremendous commitment and athletic ability as a talented cheerleader; she was recognized for two consecutive years, 1997 and 1998, as a United States Collegiate All American Cheerleader and a Universal Cheerleading Association All-Star; and

WHEREAS, Aside from Miss Lott's school responsibilities and her duties as "Mule Day Queen," she enjoys playing softball, swimming, modeling, and working out; and

WHEREAS, Stephanie modestly attributes her success to the love and guidance she has received from her proud parents, Lynn Diaz and Jimmy Lott; and

WHEREAS, As the 2001 "Mule Day Queen," Stephanie Lott will represent the great County of Maury and the fair City of Columbia with the utmost grace and joy; and

WHEREAS, She epitomizes the spirit and commitment that is characteristic of a true Tennessean; her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect and admiration of this legislative body; and

WHEREAS, This General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Miss Lott for her remarkable achievements; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and congratulate Stephanie Lott upon being crowned "Mule Day Queen" for 2001, commend her on her persistence and hard work in service of her

community, and extend to her our best wishes for every success and happiness during her reign.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.